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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1909

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CHAP. 360

conferred upon said Ketchum under and by virtue of the provisions of this act, which said franchises and rights shall be wholly excluded in the determination of the amount to be paid to said Ketchum by said state of Maine.

Section 2. Said Ketchum, his heirs and assigns, may enter upon such lands as are necessary for the erection of the piers and booms mentioned in this act, and connecting the same with the shores, and may with its agents and teams pass and repass over said shores to and from the same over the land of other persons for the purposes aforesaid and for the operation and management of said booms; and if the parties cannot agree upon the damages to be paid the owners of said lands, said damages shall be ascertained and determined by the county commissioner of the county of Aroostook in the same manner, and under the same conditions and limitations, as are provided by law in case of damages in laying out highways; and said Ketchum may flow contiguous lands so far as necessary, to raise suitable heads of water, and for such damage occasioned by flowing land, said Ketchum shall not be liable to an action at common law, but the person injured may have a remedy by complaint for flowage, in which case the same proceedings shall be had as when a complaint is made under the statute of this state for flowing land occasioned by raising a head of water for the working of mills.

May enter on lands.

—pass and repass over shores.

—damages, how determined, if parties cannot agree.

—may flow lands.

—damage for flowage.

Section 3. All other logs and lumber than those provided for by section one held by, or found in said boom, shall be turned out thereof by him at his own charge, and in no case shall any such logs or lumber be unreasonably obstructed or delayed in its passage down said stream.

Shall not unreasonably delay passage of logs.

Approved April 1, 1909.

Chapter 360.

An Act to regulate Fishing in the Bagaduce River and the tributaries in the towns of Castine, Penobscot and Brooksville in the county of Hancock.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. No person shall use any weir, seine, trap or any other contrivance in catching, fishing for or taking fish in the Bagaduce river or any of its tributaries, in the towns of Castine, Penobscot and Brooksville in the county of Hancock, except by the use of gill nets, and permanent weirs, with not less than fifty poles, constructed of laths, brush, wire or twine.

Fishing in Bagaduce river and tributaries, regulated.

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Penalty.

Section 2. Any person who violates any provision of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than three hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for each offense.

Approved April 1, 1909.

Chapter 361.

An Act to amend Section one of Chapter one hundred sixty-nine of the Special Laws of nineteen hundred and three relating to the Young Women's Christian Association of Portland, Maine.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1,
Chapter
169,
special
laws, 1903,
amended.

Section 1. Section one of chapter one hundred sixty-nine of the special laws of nineteen hundred and three is hereby amended by substituting for the word "fifty" in the sixth line of said section the words 'one hundred', so that said act as amended shall read as follows:

May hold
by deed,
bequest or
otherwise,
property to
the amount
of \$100,000.

'Section 1. The Young Women's Christian Association of the city of Portland, Maine, a corporation organized under the laws of this state and located at said Portland in said county of Cumberland is hereby authorized and empowered to hold by deed, devise, bequest or otherwise, property, personal and real to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars.

Certain
acts and
doings,
made valid.

Section 2. The acts and doings of the meeting of said corporation held on the twelfth day of May, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and two, are hereby ratified, confirmed and declared to be legal and valid.

Approved April 1, 1909.

Chapter 362.

An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Augusta with reference to Augusta Municipal Court.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 11,
of charter
of the city
of Augusta,
amended.

Section 1. Section eleven of the charter of the city of Augusta, which was numbered as section thirteen in chapter three hundred and seventy-three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Municipal
court.

'Section 11. There shall be and hereby is established a court, to be denominated the municipal court of the city of Augusta, which shall be a court of record, with a seal, to consist of one judge, who shall have concurrent jurisdiction with justices of the peace in all matters, civil and criminal, within the county

—juris-
diction of
court.